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**PETITION TO WAIVE THE REQUIREMENTS TO
SUBMIT COPIES OF PRIOR ART ALONG WITH AN IDS**

Allen Macdonald
Director Tech Center 2680

Sir:

Attached hereto is an IDS submitting material from defendant Symante involved in a lawsuit with a parent-sister application of the instant application. The material includes three boxes containing papers, CD's, tapes and discs. This material is desired to be submitted in three of applicant's pending applications on the date of this request. A physical copy of the documents is provided in applicant's sister application Serial No. 10/079,257 (filed February 19, 2002). The same Examiner is handling all four applications.

In view of the size of the documents, it is believed that providing extra copies of the individual documents would only clutter up the USPTO space and would serve no useful purpose. Accordingly, it is requested that the Honorable Director waive the requirements of 37 CFR 1.98 to submit copies of the references listed in the attached IDS.

The fee for this petition and the attached IDS is hereby authorized to be charged to the Barnes & Thornburg Deposit Account No. 02-1010 (818/39806).

Respectfully submitted,

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SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 & 1.98
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

To comply with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR 1.56, the attached PTO-1449 is submitted herewith to the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified application. No copies of the prior art are attached as they have been submitted on the same date as this request in parent application Serial No. 10/079,257 filed February 19, 2002 as agreed to by the grant of the petition submitted herewith. Also attached is the headings of three litigations involving a related application as per 2001.06(c) MPEP.

No fee for this IDS is necessary since no Office Action has issued.

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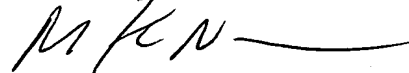
Sir:

The attached references were cited by Examiner Cumming in a related application of application. Making them of record in this application is requested.

Since no Office Action has issued, no fee is believed due.

Respectfully submitted,

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	ABL	Premise User Manual
	ABM	Reference Manual Revised Edition - West CD Rom Libraries
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